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- Descriptive title of the Invention
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-Detailed Description of the Invention (including drawings, *if filed*)

-Claim(s)

-Abstract of the Disclosure

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 7]

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9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
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10. ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)

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Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

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14. ☐ Applicant claims Small Entity status, see 37 C.F.R. § 1.27

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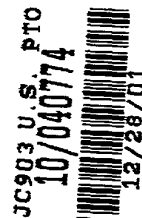
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